

# Earlswood Lakes Sailing Club -Sailing Programme 2025

## (Release 3)

Please note the day when you are on duty and arrive early to prepare the races taking note of the instructions in the OD Manual. If the date is unsuitable then please arrange a swap. If you are OD or AOD and swapping, let **James Patterson 07710 040556** know by WhatsApp or email ([james@jamespatterson.org](mailto:james@jamespatterson.org)) so that he can send the duty reminder to the right person. Mark up the master copy of this programme in the Clubhouse with the swap if poss or message the group on WhatsApp.

**RYA RULE 3 - DECISION TO RACE:** The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is theirs alone.

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DATE	DAY	Event				Race Officer	Assistant Officer	Events~	
9 Mar	SUN	Back on the Water & OD Training 10am-1pm				James Patterson	& Volunteers		
16 Mar	SUN	Back on the Water & OD Training 10am-1pm				Steve Boot	& Volunteers		
23 Mar	SUN	GRAND SPLASH 2024 Boat Handicap 3 x 40 pursuit				James Patterson	Phil Steel		
29 Mar	SAT			SSP 1	SS 1	Helen C-Atkins	Adam C-Atkins		
30 Mar	SUN	SSU 1	AM 1			Terry Read	Mark Aamodt-Leeper		
2 Apr	WED					MW 1	Austin Jones	Susie Guthrie	Sunset 19:43
5 Apr	SAT			SSP 2	SS 2		Dave Fereday	Grant Smith	
6 Apr	SUN	SSU 2	AM 2				Martin Dediccoat	Tony Cocks	
9 Apr	WED					MW 2	Jon Bayliss	Holly Bayliss	
12 Apr	SAT	Training Weekend 1				Trainers		Easter hols	
13 Apr	SUN	Training Weekend 1				Trainers		Easter hols	
16 Apr	WED					MW 3	Dougie Weir	Andrew Peat	Easter hols
19 Apr	SAT	Training Follow up		SSP 3	SS 3		Toby Robertson	Allan Kidd	Easter hols
20 Apr	SUN	Easter Egg Personal 3 x 40 min					Keith Marsay	Kevin Thompson	Easter hols
23 Apr	WED					MW 4	Adam Brant	Dayvid Kilby-Edwards	Easter hols
26 Apr	SAT		SMC	SSP 4	SS 4		George Fereday	Joe Davies	Easter hols
27 Apr	SUN	SSU 3	AM 3				Steve Boot	Sandra Boot	Easter hols
30 Apr	WED					MW 5	Stephen Butterworth	Jen Foort	
3 May	SAT			SSP 5	SS 5		Sue Stewart	Adam Szczecinski Jakub Szczecinski	
4 May	SUN	SSU 4	AM 4				Ian Evans	Jack Hawkins	
7 May	WED					MW 6	Susie Guthrie	Weronika Szczecinska Leon Szczecinski	
10 May	SAT		SMC	SSP 6	SS 6		Rob Mackie	Richard Curtis	
11 May	SUN	SSU 5	AM 5				Dave Vanes	Charlie Lyddon	

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<b>14 May</b>	WED					MW 7	Dave Coombs	Sourish Mahapatra	
<b>17 May</b>	SAT	<b>Training Weekend 2</b>					Trainers		
<b>18 May</b>	SUN	<b>Training Weekend 2</b>					Trainers		
<b>21 May</b>	WED					MW 8	Ian Ingram	Marie Ingram	
<b>24 May</b>	SAT	<b>Training Follow up</b>		SSP 7	SS 7		Richard Halton	Tim Davies	<b>Half Term</b>
<b>25 May</b>	SUN	SSU 6	AM 6				Adam C-Atkins	James Pick	<b>Half Term</b>
<b>28 May</b>	WED					MS 1	Terry Read	Denise Greenhalgh	<b>Half Term</b>
<b>31 May</b>	SAT		<b>SMC</b>	SSP 8	SS 8		Gavin de Miranda	Tony Cocks	<b>Half Term</b>
<b>June 25</b>									
<b>1 Jun</b>	SUN	<b>Commodore's Shield Boat Handicap 3 x 40 pursuit</b>					Neil Whittaker	Steve Saunders	
<b>4 Jun</b>	WED					MS 2	Tim Davies	Jo Davies	
<b>7 Jun</b>	SAT		<b>SMC</b>	Yth1/IP1	SUP 1		Dave Coleman	Andrew Peat	
<b>8 Jun</b>	SUN	NV1/SP1	BG 1				Dave Vanes	Martin Dedicoat	
<b>11 Jun</b>	WED					MS 3	Nigel Beasley	Steve Wightman	
<b>14 Jun</b>	SAT			Yth2/IP2	SUP 2		Richard Mountford	Fiona Tubbs	
<b>15 Jun</b>	SUN	NV2/SP2	BG 2				Dave Fereday	Chris Hailes	
<b>18 Jun</b>	WED					MS 4	Bruce Richard	Maryann Richard	
<b>21 Jun</b>	SAT		<b>SMC</b>	Yth3/IP3	SUP 3		Toby Robertson	Dave Pendleton	
<b>22 Jun</b>	SUN	NV3/SP3	BG 3				James Patterson	Mark Aamodt-Leeper	
<b>25 Jun</b>	WED					MS 5	Rob Mackie	Mal Guest	
<b>28 Jun</b>	SAT	<b>Training Weekend 3</b>					Trainers		
<b>29 Jun</b>	SUN	<b>Training Weekend 3</b>					Trainers		
<b>July 25</b>									
<b>2 Jul</b>	WED					MS 6	Alan Short	Pete Redden	
<b>5 Jul</b>	SAT	<b>Training Follow up</b>		Yth4/IP4	SUP 4		Phil Steel	Dayvid Kilby-Edwards	
<b>6 Jul</b>	SUN	NV4/SP4	BG 4				Dave Coombs	Richard Norman	
<b>09 Jul</b>	WED					MS 7	Ian Evans	Jen Foort	
<b>12 Jul</b>	SAT	<b>Sail Fest 2025 Coaching and Fun on the Water</b>					Jon Bayliss Holly Bayliss	James P	
<b>13 Jul</b>	SUN	<b>Sail Fest 2025 Novice Endeavour/Youth Champion Cup</b>					TBA	TBA	
<b>16 Jul</b>	WED					MS 8	Dave Coleman	Rob Brady	
<b>19 Jul</b>	SAT			Yth5/IP5	SUP 5		Adam Brant	Susie Guthrie	
<b>20 Jul</b>	SUN	NV5/SP5	BG 5				Jack Hawkins	Grant Smith	
<b>23 Jul</b>	WED					TW 1	Austin Jones	Steve Wightman	<b>Hols</b>
<b>26 Jul</b>	SAT		<b>SMC</b>	IP 6	SUP 6		Dougie Weir	Rob Brady	<b>Hols</b>
<b>27 Jul</b>	SUN	SP 6	BG 6				Richard Halton	Adam Szczecinski Jakub Szczecinski	<b>Hols</b>

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30 Jul	WED					TW 2	Steve Boot	Sandra Boot	Hols
<b>Aug 25</b>									
2 Aug	SAT		King George Fund (£5 entry) Boat Handicap 3 x 40 pursuit				Terry Read	Steve Harris	Hols
3 Aug	SUN	SP 7	BG 7				George Fereday	Stephen Butterworth	Hols
6 Aug	WED					TW 3	Gavin De Miranda	Steve Saunders	Hols
09 Aug	SAT		SMC	IP 7	SUP 7		Keith Marsay	Weronika Szczecinska Leon Szczecinski	Hols
10 Aug	SUN	SP 8	BG 8				Fiona Tubbs	Denise Greenhalgh	Hols
13 Aug	WED					TW 4	James Pick	Allan Kidd	Hols
16 Aug	SAT			IP 8	SUP 8		Dave Coleman	Tony Cocks	Hols
17 Aug	SUN	SP 9	BG 9				Neil Whittaker	Matt Macdonald	Hols
20 Aug	WED					TW 5	Bruce Richard	Maryann Richard	Hols
23 Aug	SAT		SMC	WS 1	SWP 1		Ian Ingram	Marie Ingram	Hols
24 Aug	SUN	Summer Bottle Boat Handicap 3 x 40 pursuit					Jon Bayliss	Holly Bayliss	Hols
27 Aug	WED					TW 6	Martin Dedicoat	Tim Davies	Hols
30 Aug	SAT			WS 2	SWP 2		Terry Bridgewater	Joe Davies	
31 Aug	SUN	ASU 1	BM 1				Dave Vanes	Charlie Lyddon	Hols
<b>Sept 25</b>									
3 Sep	WED					TW 7	Alan Short	Pete Redden	Sunset 19:50
6 Sep	SAT			WS 3	SWP 3		Keith Marsay	Mal Guest	
7 Sep	SUN	NEW! Bob Lewis Trophy 4 races –TBA Personal 4 x 40 min Team Racing					James Patterson	Sourish Mahapatra	
10 Sep	Wed					TW 8 – BBQ Illuminated Race	Ian Ingram	Marie Ingram	Sunset 19:34
13 Sep	SAT		SMC	WS 4	SWP 4		Toby Robertson	Chris Hailes	
14 Sep	SUN	ASU 2	BM 2				Rob Mackie	Susie Guthrie	
20 Sep	SAT			WS 5	SWP 5		Stephen Butterworth	Richard Curtis	
21 Sep	SUN	ASU 3	BM 3				Jack Hawkins	Dave Cuthbert	
27 Sep	SAT		SMC	WS 6	SWP 6		Fiona Tubbs	Jen Foort	
28 Sep	SUN	ASU 4	BM 4				Richard Mountford	Daniel Betteridge	
<b>Oct 25</b>									
4 Oct	SAT			WS 7	SWP 7		Nigel Beasley	Richard Norman	
5 Oct	SUN	ASU 5	BM 5				Dave Coombs	Weronika Szczecinska	
11 Oct	SAT		SMC	WS 8	SWP 8		James Pick	Adam Szczecinski	
12 Oct	SUN	ASU 6	BM 6				Adam C-Atkins	Helen C-Atkins	
18 Oct	SAT			WS 9	SWP 9		Austin Jones	Tony Cocks	
19 Oct	SUN	ASU 7	BM 7				Richard Halton	Phil Steel	
25 Oct	SAT		SMC	RNLI (£5 Entry) 3 races			Ian Evans	Dave Pendleton	Half Term

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				<b>Personal 3 x 40min</b>					
<b>26 Oct</b>	SUN	ASU 8	BM 8				Phil Steel	Amanda/James Farrow	<b>Half Term</b>
<b>Nov 25</b>									
<b>2 Nov</b>	SUN	FR 1	PO 1				Bruce Richard	Maryann Richard	<b>Half Term</b>
<b>09 Nov</b>	SUN	FR 2	PO 2				Paul Dufrane	Richard Curtis	
<b>16 Nov</b>	SUN	FR 3	PO 3				Dave Fereday	Allan Kidd	
<b>23 Nov</b>	SUN	FR 4	PO 4				George Fereday	Steve Harris	
<b>30 Nov</b>	SUN	FR 5	PO 5				Nigel Beasley	Fiona Tubbs	
<b>Dec 25</b>									
<b>7 Dec</b>	SUN	FR 6	PO 6				Keith Marsay	Dayvid Kilby-Edwards	
<b>14 Dec</b>	SUN	FR 7	PO 7				James Pick	Alan Short	
<b>21 Dec</b>	SUN	FR 8	PO 8				Gavin De Miranda	Grant Smith	
<b>26 Dec</b>	FRI		<b>BOXING DAY BOTTLE 11am Personal 60min Pursuit</b>				Neil Whittaker		<b>Xmas</b>
<b>Jan 2026</b>									
<b>1 Jan</b>	THU		<b>HANGOVER HANDICAP 11am Personal 60min Pursuit</b>				James Patterson		<b>Xmas</b>
<b>4 Jan</b>	SUN	IS 1	SF 1				Dougie Weir	Matt Macdonald	
<b>11 Jan</b>	SUN	IS 2	SF 2				Richard Halton	Sourish Mahapatra	
<b>18 Jan</b>	SUN	IS 3	SF 3				Steve Boot	Sandra Boot	
<b>25 Jan</b>	SUN	IS 4	SF 4				Helen C-Atkins	Adam C-Atkins	
<b>Feb 2026</b>									
<b>1 Feb</b>	SUN	IS 5	SF 5				Toby Robertson	Pete Redden	
<b>7 Feb</b>	SAT			BL 1	BL 2	SS 16:55	Dave Fereday	George Fereday	
<b>8 Feb</b>	SUN	IS 6	SF 6				Ian Ingram	Marie Ingram	
<b>14 Feb</b>	SAT			BL 3	BL 4	SS 17:08	Terry Bridgewater	Mal Guest	
<b>15 Feb</b>	SUN	IS 7	SF 7				Adam Brant	Andrew Peat	
<b>21 Feb</b>	SAT			BL 5	BL 6	SS 17:21	Rob Mackie	Mark Aamodt-Leeper	
<b>22 Feb</b>	SUN	IS 8	SF 8				Nigel Beasley	Dave Cuthbert	
<b>28 Feb</b>	SAT			BL 7	BL 8	SS 17:34	Keith Marsay	Steve Saunders	
<b>Mar 2026</b>									
<b>1 Mar</b>	SUN	IS 9	SF 9				Ian Evans	Phil Steel	
<b>8 Mar</b>	SUN	Back On the Water Days					James and Steve and Coaches		
<b>15 Mar</b>	SUN	Back On the Water Days					James and Steve and Coaches		
<b>22 Mar</b>	SUN	<b>GRAND SPLASH 2026</b>					<i>And back to the start.....</i>		

## General Notes

**Please read carefully: The race organisers shall not be liable for any loss, damage, death or personal injury howsoever caused to the owner or competitor, skipper or crew, as a result of their taking part in any of these races. Moreover, every owner or competitor declares that they are insured for third party risks and have adequate insurance cover, including dinghy racing and will continue to hold this insurance whilst they are a member.**

- Saturday Morning Club sessions are free sailing but there will be safety boat cover, sailing is at the discretion of the OD present and judgement of conditions. On the Saturday sessions the OD will open the club from 11am to allow people to get in an hour or so sailing before the afternoon racing. Boat Hire applies to club boats. Summer SMC will start at 10am.
- The times shown for each race are the times for the Start Signal. Allowance should be made for the warning signal which will occur 5 minutes before the start. **So the 5 minute gun will be at 9.55am for a 10am start, and 7.05 for an evening start.**
- Saturday **Blizzard Series in February**. Races will be 2 x 40 min, one Standard Pursuit and one Menagerie race on Personal Handicaps. Both races will count in the series of 8 races with 4 to qualify, so it's the first time we have had mixed boat and personal handicaps in a series! Races start at 1pm and 2.30pm.
- The first five races in the Youth and Saturday Improvement will be run together. Start times for the races will be:  
14:00 Youth Series and Saturday Improvement 15:30 Summer Saturday Pursuit  
The Youth Series is open to sailors born in 2005 or later. These will be 55 min races
- The Novice and Summer Morning Point series will be run together Start times for the races will be:  
10:00 Novice race and Summer Morning 11:30 Sunday Burgee. These will be 55 min races  
  
The Novice series is open to anyone, in any boat, with an **Enterprise** handicap of **120** or greater (see the personal handicap list – **yellow column** – to see whether you qualify) and will be sailed using personal handicaps. Newcomers to sailing - perhaps through the training programme - will be given a handicap according to the boat sailed. Handicaps for other boats can be easily calculated.
- The Novice 'Endeavour' Cup, run in the Autumn, is a one day event open to the same people as for the Novice Series. The Youth Champion Cup is a one day event open to sailors born in 2005 or later.
- Qualification criteria have been lowered to encourage qualification for more sailors in a series. **COUNT** specifies the number of race results required to qualify for a series or one day result.

CODE	SERIES	RACES	COUNT	HANDICAP	START
AM	SUNDAY MORNING POINTS	6	3	PERSONAL	MENAGERIE
ASU	AUTUMN SUNDAY PURSUIT	8	4	BOAT	55 MIN PURSUIT
BG	SUNDAY BURGEE	8	4	BOAT	55 MIN PURSUIT
BM	BRASS MONKEY	8	4	PERSONAL	MENAGERIE
BL	BLIZZARD	8	5	BOAT/PERSONAL	40 MIN
FR	FROSTBITE	8	4	BOAT	55 MIN PURSUIT
IP	SATURDAY IMPROVEMENT	8	4	PERSONAL	MENAGERIE
IS	ICICLE	9	4	BOAT	55 MIN PURSUIT
MS	MIDSUMMER	8	4	PERSONAL	MENAGERIE
MW	MIDWEEK	8	4	BOAT	55 MIN PURSUIT
NV	NOVICE SERIES	5	3	PERSONAL	MENAGERIE
PO	POLAR	8	4	BOAT	MENAGERIE
SF	SNOWFLAKE	9	4	PERSONAL	MENAGERIE
SP	SUNDAY SUMMER MORNING	8	4	PERSONAL	MENAGERIE
SS	SPRING SATURDAY	8	4	PERSONAL	MENAGERIE
SSP	SPRING SATURDAY PURSUIT	8	4	BOAT	55 MIN PURSUIT
SSU	SPRING SUNDAY PURSUIT	6	3	BOAT	55 MIN PURSUIT
SUP	SUMMER SATURDAY PURSUIT	8	4	BOAT	40/55 MIN PURSUIT
SWP	SATURDAY WINTER PERSONAL	9	4	PERSONAL	MENAGERIE
TW	TWILIGHT	8	4	PERSONAL	MENAGERIE
WS	WINTER SATURDAY	9	4	BOAT	55 MIN PURSUIT
Yth	YOUTH SERIES	5	3	PERSONAL	MENAGERIE
**	BOXING DAY BOTTLE	1	1	PERSONAL	60 MIN PURSUIT
**	COMMODORES SHIELD	3	2	BOAT	40 MIN PURSUIT
**	EASTER EGG	3	2	PERSONAL	MENAGERIE
**	GRAND SPLASH	3	2	BOAT	40 MIN PURSUIT
**	HANGOVER HANDICAP	1	1	PERSONAL	60 MIN PURSUIT
**	KING GEORGE FUND	3	2	BOAT	40 MIN PURSUIT
**	LADIES TROPHY			Extracted from results	
**	NOVICE ENDEAVOUR CUP	3	2	PERSONAL	MENAGERIE
**	R.N.L.I.	3	2	PERSONAL	MENAGERIE
**	SUMMER BOTTLE	3	2	BOAT	40 MIN PURSUIT
**	BOB LEWIS TROPHY	4	3	PERSONAL	MENAGERIE
**	YOUTH CHAMPION CUP	3	2	PERSONAL	MENAGERIE
**	SATURDAY MORNING CLUB			Free Sailing	Boat Hire Applies
**	ALL OPEN EVENTS	3	2	OPEN	MENAGERIE